

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 3 Line 13-14 replace "the Blum parameters and other similar" with  
-parameters similar to the Blum-.

Page 4 Line 17 replace "such as" with -like-.

Page 8 Line 9 delete "brightness,".

Page 8 Line 13 replace "the parameter 'brightness' " with -a parameter-.

Page 18 Line 31 replace "textural" with -textual-.

Page 21 delete text from line 9 "The preferred model" through line 26  
"-0.074".

In the claims, cancel claims 21, 25, 28, and 32.

Amend claims 18 and 26 as shown below:

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18. A method for creating a database of differences between music recordings, comprising:
- a) associating an identifier with each recording of a plurality of music recordings;
  - b) extracting from each recording of the plurality [or] of recordings at least two numeric parameters;
  - c) computing from the extracted parameters for each of a plurality of pairs of the recordings a number which represents the difference between the recordings of the pair where the difference calculation method models human perception of differences between sounds of recordings; and
  - d) assembling the computed difference numbers into a database where each computed difference is associated with the identifier for each of the two recordings from which the difference was computed.
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